an organized criminal activity, where the subject matter of the case or proceeding in which the motion is sought is within the cognizance of the Criminal Division pursuant to § 0.61.

[Order No. 452-71, 36 FR 2601, Feb. 9, 1971, as amended by Order No. 511-73, 38 FR 8152, Mar. 29, 1973]

§ 0.64-1 Central or Competent Authority under treaties and executive agreements on mutual assistance in criminal matters.

The Assistant Attorney General in charge of the Criminal Division shall have the authority and perform the functions of the "Central Authority" or "Competent Authority" (or like designation) under treaties and executive agreements between the United States of America and other countries on mutual assistance in criminal matters which designate the Attorney General or the Department of Justice as such authority. The Assistant Attorney General, Criminal Division, is authorized to redelegate this authority to the Deputy Assistant Attorneys General, Criminal Division, and to the Director and Deputy Directors of the Office of International Affairs, Criminal Divi-

[Order 918–80, 45 FR 79758, Dec. 2, 1980, as amended by Order 1274–88, 53 FR 21997, June 13, 1988; Order 1906–94, 59 FR 41242, Aug. 11, 1994]

§ 0.64-2 Delegation respecting transfer of offenders to or from foreign countries.

The Assistant Attorney General in charge of the Criminal Division is authorized to exercise all of the power and authority vested in the Attorney General under section 4102 of title 18, U.S. Code, which has not been delegated to the Director of the Bureau of Prisons under 28 CFR 0.96b, including specifically the authority to find the transfer of offenders to or from a foreign country under a treaty as referred to in Public Law 95-144 appropriate or inappropriate. The Assistant Attorney General in charge of the Criminal Division is authorized to redelegate this authority to his Deputy Assistant Attorneys General, the Director of the Office of Enforcement Operations, and the Senior Associate Director and Associate Directors of the Office of Enforcement Operations.

[Order No. 872–80, 45 FR 6541, Jan. 29, 1980, as amended by Order 1265–88, 53 FR 10871, Apr. 4, 1988; Order No. 2147–98, 63 FR 20534, Apr. 27, 1998]

§ 0.64-3 Delegation respecting designation of certain Department of Agriculture employees (Tick Inspectors) to carry and use firearms.

The Assistant Attorney General in charge of the Criminal Division is authorized to exercise all the power and authority vested in the Attorney General under section 2274 of title 7, U.S. Code, concerning the designation of certain Department of Agriculture employees (Tick Inspectors) to carry and use firearms. This delegation includes the power and authority to issue, with the Department of Agriculture, joint rules and regulations pertaining to the carrying and use of such firearms, which would, when promulgated, supersede the existing regulations pertaining to the carrying and use of firearms by Tick Inspectors, promulgated by the Attorney General and contained in Attorney General's Order No. 1059-84. The Assistant Attorney General in charge of the Criminal Division is authorized to redelegate all of this authority under section 2274 to his Deputy Assistant Attorneys General and appropriate Office Directors and Section Chiefs.

 $[{\rm Order\ No.\ 1064\text{--}84,\ 49\ FR\ 35934,\ Sept.\ 13,\ 1984}]$

§ 0.64-4 Delegation respecting temporary transfers, in custody of certain prisoner-witnesses from a foreign country to the United States to testify in Federal or State criminal proceedings.

The Assistant Attorney General in charge of the Criminal Division is authorized to exercise all of the power and authority vested in the Attorney General under 18 U.S.C. 3508 which has not been delegated to the Director of the United States Marshals Service under 28 CFR 0.111a, including specifically the authority to determine whether and under what circumstances temporary transfer of a prisoner-witness to the United States is appropriate or inappropriate; to determine the point at which the witness should

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be returned to the transferring country; and to enter into appropriate agreements with the transferring country regarding the terms and conditions of the transfer. The Assistant Attorney General in charge of the Criminal Division is authorized to redelegate this authority to the Deputy Assistant Attorneys General, Criminal Division, and to the Director and Deputy Directors of the Office of International Affairs, Criminal Division.

[Order 1913-94, 59 FR 46551, Sept. 9, 1994]

§ 0.64-5 Policy with regard to bringing charges under the Economic Espionage Act of 1996, Pub. L. 104-294, effective October 11, 1996.

The United States may not file a charge under the Economic Espionage Act of 1996 (EEA), Pub. L. 104-294, 110 Stat. 3488, 18 U.S.C. 1831 et seq., effective October 11, 1996, or use a violation of the EEA as a predicate offense under any other law, without the personal approval of the Attorney General, the Deputy Attorney General, or the Assistant Attorney General of the Criminal Division (or the Acting official in each of these positions if a position is filled by an Acting Official). Violations of this regulation are appropriately sanctionable and will be reported by the Attorney General to the Senate and House Judiciary Committees. Responsibility for reviewing proposed charges under the EEA rests with the Computer Crime and Intellectual Property Section, Criminal Division, which will consult with the Internal Security Section, Criminal Division, in cases involving charges under 18 U.S.C. 1831. This regulation shall remain in effect until October 11, 2001.

[Order No. 2130-97, 62 FR 63453, Dec. 1, 1997]

APPENDIX TO SUBPART K

CRIMINAL DIVISION

[Directive 8-75]

EDITORIAL NOTE: Criminal Division Directive 8-75, was superseded by Criminal Division Directive 58, appearing at 44 FR 18661, Mar. 29, 1979.

[Directive 58]

DELEGATION RESPECTING DENIAL OF INFORMATION REQUESTS

The Assistant Attorney General in charge of the Criminal Division, hereby, delegates pursuant to 28 CFR 16.5(b) (as amended March 1, 1975) and 28 CFR 16.45(a), his authority under those sections to deny a request for information under 5 U.S.C. 552(a) or 5 U.S.C. 552a to the Director and Associate Director of the Office of Legal Support Services of the Criminal Division and to the Deputy Assistant Attorney General of the Criminal Division who supervises that Office. The Director, Associate Director, or Deputy Assistant Attorney General making the denial, and be the "person responsible for the denial," within the meaning of 5 U.S.C. 552(a).

[Directive No. 73]

REDELEGATION OF AUTHORITY TO DEPUTY AS-SISTANT ATTORNEYS GENERAL AND DIREC-TOR OF THE OFFICE OF INTERNATIONAL AF-FAIRS RESPECTING TRANSFER OF OFFENDERS TO AND FROM FOREIGN COUNTRIES

By virtue of the authority vested in me by §0.64 -2 of title 28 of the Code of Federal Regulations, the authority delegated to me by that section to exercise all of the power and authority vested in the Attorney General under Section 4102 of title 18, U.S. Code, which has not been delegated to the Director of the Bureau of Prisons, including specifically the authority to find the transfer of offenders to or from a foreign country under a treaty as referred to in Public Law 95-44 appropriate or inappropriate, is hereby redelegated to each of the Deputy Assistant Attornevs General and the Director of the Office of International Affairs of the Criminal Division.

[Directive No. 81A]

REDELEGATION OF AUTHORITY TO DEPUTY ASSISTANT ATTORNEYS GENERAL AND DIRECTOR AND DEPUTY DIRECTORS OF THE OFFICE OF INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS REGARDING AUTHORITY TO ACT AS CENTRAL AUTHORITY OF COMPETENT AUTHORITY UNDER TREATIES AND EXECUTIVE AGREEMENTS ON MUTUAL ASSISTANCE IN CRIMINAL MATTERS

By virtue of the authority vested in me by §0.64-1 of title 28 of the Code of Federal Regulations, the Authority delegated to me by that section to exercise all of the power and authority vested in the Attorney General under treaties and executive agreements on mutual assistance in criminal matters is hereby redelegated to each of the Deputy Assistant Attorneys General, to the Director of the Office of International Affairs and to